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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re application of: Neal et al.

Attorney Docket No.: DEMIP009

Application No.: 10/007,002

Examiner: Ruhl, Dennis William

Filed: November 30, 2001

Group: 3629

Title: RULE RELAXATION AND SUBSET  
OPTIMIZATION SYSTEM

Confirmation No.: 9261

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**FILED VIA EFS**

**February 16, 2007**

### **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

Dear Examiner:

Applicants enclose herewith a Preliminary Amendment in response to the Office Action mailed November 16, 2006. Any required fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	19	MINUS	24	0	x 25 = 0	x 50 = 0
Independent Claims	2	MINUS	3	0	x 100 = 0	x 200 = 0
Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid					\$0	\$0
Total					\$0	\$0

- ☐ Applicant(s) hereby petition for a \_\_\_\_\_-month extension of time within which to respond to the referenced Office Action. The fee of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for this Extension of Time has been authorized via EFS to our Credit Card.
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 50-2766 (Order No. DEMIP009).

Respectfully submitted,

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